



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: BARENZ, David W.)
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Title: Direct Force Armature for a Trip Assembly) Examiner: Willoughby, T.R.
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PETITION FOR TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner of Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450
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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.136(a), applicant respectfully petitions for a two-month extension of time to file a Response to Office Action dated November 18, 2005. The extended time for filing such Response is April 18, 2006, extended pursuant to 37 CFR §§1.136(a) and 1.17(a).

Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-3875 for four hundred fifty dollars and no/100 (\$450.00) for the extension of time fee. An additional photocopy of this letter is enclosed for accounting purposes. If any other charges are incurred or credited, please charge the Deposit Account shown above.

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